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Governor Osborne's Advice.

BY LEO.

One day last week the governor of Michigan was called upon in the absence of Senator LaFollette to make a political speech, which he did, and in the course of his remarks said that it would be best for President Taft and Senator LaFollette to withdraw from the race for the presidency in favor of Theodore Roosevelt.

This was good advice in part. Senator LaFollette had better quit campaigning, for it will do him no good now or hereafter. There is not the least prospect of his being chosen by the convention.

As to the President, we see no reason for his withdrawal. His nomination is sure, and his election is highly probable. And should defeat follow his nomination still it is better for him and for his party that he should persevere.

He has made an efficient and excellent chief magistrate—one thoroughly in harmony with his party principles and firm in his adherence to the right as he sees it. He is an honest, sincere man. Why should he step aside in favor of Roosevelt? The latter gentleman was chief magistrate for seven years and a half, practically two terms, and there is no reason why the unwritten law of two terms only should be set aside for his pleasure. Is he a better man or better chief magistrate than Wm. H. Taft? He is not. He falls below him in many ways. It can be said without in the least disparaging Mr. Roosevelt that there is no good reason for setting Taft aside in order to give place to the ex-president.

It is supposed that Roosevelt would command a larger popular vote. This is not so certain. The third term would be a weight to pull him down.

Millions of voters sincerely believe that no man should be given a third term in the presidency. It has never been done and the general sentiment is in favor of observing the unwritten law.

Does Roosevelt desire the presidency again? Perhaps he does, although he says he is not a candidate. It is his fool friends that urge him on. Soreheads want revenge, and disappointed men feel hurt. With a change of administration they hope something will turn up in their favor. They are after the "loaves and fishes" which Roosevelt may give them.

We believe that the general opinion of the Republican voters is in favor of giving Taft another term. It is certain that nothing would be gained by refusing him the second term. It has been the custom of both parties hitherto and should be continued.

President Taft is a man of power. As long as he continues in the presidency there will be no clashing with other nations. We

can rest assured that he will do nothing to provoke war with any nation. On the other hand, Mr. Roosevelt is a man extremely pugnacious. He believes in fighting, and in the presidency once more he might think it advisable to give our great navy and army something to do to encourage the war feeling. He has been called "the man on horseback". The epithet may do him injustice, but it indicates what many believe. Is it not better at this time to keep in the chief magistracy a man world-wide known as a man of peace?

Roosevelt may not want the presidential office at all. He may desire his erstwhile bosom friend, the President, to be continued in office for another term. Why not plainly say so? What is the use of acting the sphinx and keeping himself shrouded in mystery? While Roosevelt was in office Taft was always his right hand man. Why not give Taft some of that "square deal" the ex-president talked about so fluently? He has a good opportunity now to practice his former preaching. Please, Mr. ex-President, give your erstwhile bosom friend a square deal.

Mail Carriers Will Fly.

This is an age of great discoveries. Progress rides on the air. Soon we may see Uncle Sam's mail carriers flying in all directions, transporting mail. People take a wonderful interest in a discovery that benefits them. That's why Dr. King's New Discovery for Coughs, Colds and other throat and lung diseases is the most popular medicine in America. "It cured me of a dreadful cough," writes Mrs. J. F. Davis, Stickney Corner, Me., "after doctor's treatment and all other remedies had failed." For coughs, colds or any bronchial affection it's unequalled. Price 50c and \$1. Trial bottle free at Wm. Kipp's Sons Co.

Palestine.

Palestine is just full of business at present. A Jew clothing store has the lower room of the K. of P. hall, a medicine show will hold forth upstairs and a special sale will be going on all at once.

The Dance Committee held the fourth dance on last Saturday night.

Happening to look over some items in another county paper the other day, we saw a reference to the Palestine correspondent for the same paper. The would-be-reporter seemed to think he had him spotted dead sure. The party suspected wishes me to say that he or she never wrote a single item for that paper, so you have more guesses coming.

Frank Hick's are having a case of diphtheria at their home at present.

Owing to the extreme cold, Rev. Guy did not fill his appointment at the Disciple church Sunday. Jan. 8. Jones.

One-half off on all Fancy Vests. THE PROGRESS.

Weaver Station.

W. E. Michael called on Chas. Hicks Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Charles Clopp entertained Mrs. Greathouse Monday afternoon.

James Greathouse was a Greenville caller Monday.

Mrs. Paul Wilson of Ansonia spent the week end with her grandparents, Riley Adkins and wife.

Mrs. Wm. Beck, who has been on the sick list for some time, was worse Sunday.

Mrs. Adkins and her granddaughter called on Mrs. William Beck Sunday afternoon and later on Mrs. Yost.

The McCoy sisters entertained company Sunday.

Ruby Ross and Elsie Jennings ate Sunday dinner with Wanda and Anna Clopp.

Mrs. Michael called on Mrs. Yost Sunday afternoon.

The past few days have demonstrated the fact that good old winter time has not forgotten to pay its annual visit.

S. B. McCabe shredded fodder last Thursday.

We have often wondered why some people are so penurious in giving news to the reporter, yet they growl because their paper has no news in it. If Mr. A sells a valuable horse for an extra good price he don't want the reporter to know about it for fear that his name will get in the paper. This is wrong logic. If we expect the Editor to get out a newsy sheet we ought to be willing to contribute any items of interest that may come to our knowledge, and thus help to smooth the rough pathway of the local editor and publisher. He is one of us and should be entitled to all the help we can give him, for does he not endeavor to teach a higher plane of morals and right living, as well as give the local news from the different parts of the country? Then, if he is doing his part, it is our duty to do our part in helping to boost our local paper, not forgetting that subscriptions expire and the Editor always needs cash in his business. We say all honor to the faithful newspaper man, who so bravely launches out to lift up and entertain his fellowmen, and when you have any news of general interest don't be afraid to make it known. Jan. 8. Bud.

What Makes a Woman?

One hundred and twenty pounds, more or less, of bone and muscle don't make a woman. It's a good foundation. Put into it health and strength and she may rule a kingdom. But that's just what Electric Bitters give her. Thousands bless them for overcoming fainting and dizzy spells and for dispelling weakness, nervousness, backache and tired, listless, worn out feeling. "Electric Bitters have done me a world of good," writes Eliza Pool, Depew, Okla., "and I thank you, with all my heart, for making such a good medicine." Only 50c. Guaranteed by Wm. Kipp's Sons Co.

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Castine.

The holidays have come and gone and they, with their joys, are of the past. The stern duty of life has come and each one has taken up the thread of life-work the better for the short respite of joy.

Despite the rain the "newly-weds" and the remaining members of the young men's and young ladies' class of the U. B. Sabbath school at Castine enjoyed their last banquet for 1911.

Otterbein's "Gates Ajar" for Christmas was very highly appreciated by the large crowd in attendance. At the close they had a flash light made for the "Watchword." Castine U. B. Sabbath school rendered a very satisfactory program and received much praise.

Our visitors have gone and we have settled down to hard, rock-bottom work for another year.

Some of our farmers are done stripping tobacco, others plodding slowly on.

Charles Fowble has been chosen superintendent of Castine U. B. Sabbath school and now all who have been slack in attendance should rally to aid in building up and holding the school where the former efficient superintendent, Clarence Gilfillan, has held it.

Albert Trump, wife and little daughter, of Piqua, spent Christmas with relatives of our place.

Bess White returned to help swell the ranks of the organized classes' banquet.

Ed Cress and wife of Potsdam visited at Luther Snider's and Jacob Horine's recently.

J. W. Miller spent New Year with his sister, Mrs. Z. W. Hemp, at Eaton.

Miss Lizzie McGriff, north of our place, is very poorly.

Mother Shumaker of near Otterbein is very sick, with no hopes of recovery. Jan. 8. Max.

The Choice of a Husband

is too important a matter for a woman to be handicapped by weakness, bad blood or foul breath. Avoid these kill-hopes by taking Dr. King's Life Pills. New strength, fine complexion, pure breath, cheerful spirits—things that win men—follow their use. Easy, safe, sure. 25c at Wm. Kipp's Sons Co.

Bad Christians in Church.

Because some make a profession of religion and do not live up to it is no sign there are not some good people in the church. Because some bank cashiers have stolen the money and fled the country is no sign that all are thieves. Because the noble art of medicine has been practiced by some of the greatest quacks is no sign that every doctor is a humbug. Don't let some jealous doctor make a fool of you. Dr. Kutchin is a leading Specialist; a graduate of two colleges. He has been visiting this county 18 years. If some one has prejudiced you go and see him.

Dr. Kutchin's next visit to Greenville, will be on Thursday, Jan. 11, at the Turpen House. Consultation examination and advice free.

Sweaters

One-fourth off our former low prices. THE PROGRESS.

Ingle-Bowman.

Covington, O., Jan. 2.—A quiet, but very pretty, wedding was solemnized New Year day at high noon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Bowman, one and a half mile south of Gettysburg, when their daughter, Miss Lorena, became the bride of Mr. Charles B. Ingle of Covington. Rev. J. A. Winkler, pastor of the Presbyterian church at Gettysburg, performed the ceremony.

The bride was attractively attired in cream colored silk, with trimmings of pearl passementerie. She carried an armful of cream roses and had roses twined in her hair. The couple entered the parlor unattended and only the immediate families of the contracting parties were present to witness the ceremony. After congratulations, the bride and groom led the way to the dining room, where an elegant turkey dinner was served. They were the recipients of a number of handsome, as well as useful, presents.

The groom is the son of Mr. John Ingle of this place, and is employed at the D. C. Shellabarger hardware store and is highly esteemed among a large circle of friends in Covington. Both bride and groom have many friends in Covington and Gettysburg, who extend congratulations and best wishes for a happy future. They will go to housekeeping at once to their friends after January 10 in Dr. J. Kendall's property on High street.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

Obituary.

Kithurah Coppess, daughter of Peter and Susanna Michael, was born in Van Buren township, Darke county, O., June 20, 1861. She was united in marriage with Edwin Coppess March 18, 1882, and to this union were born four children—three sons and one daughter.

She died at Denney's Sanitarium, Madison, Ind., December 9, 1911, aged 50 years, 5 months and 19 days. She leaves to mourn their loss, a devoted husband, three sons, a daughter, an aged mother, sister, two brothers and many other friends and relatives.

Funeral services were held in the Christian church at Kent, conducted by Rev. J. K. Smith. Interment in Kent cemetery.

In the days of her youth and before her marriage she united with the Christian church and lived and died in the faith. This should be a comfort and consolation to her bereft family and to her many friends.

Written by her aunt, Malinda Sebring.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of J. C. Fletcher.

Gettysburg.

Harry Hahn, wife and babe, were visitors here over Sunday with Mrs. Hahn's mother, Mrs. Alice Myers.

Ira H. Reck, wife and son, returned last week from their holiday trip to Chicago and other places in Illinois.

Clarence Miller spent the latter part of last week at Chicago, attending a furniture exhibition and convention.

Roy Sentman and family now occupy the M. E. parsonage as a place of residence.

F. M. Knoll's removed from Mrs. Isaac Harshey's property to west side of Mrs. Geo. Reck's house.

For sudden changes and extreme cold weather the last few days have broken the usual records in this line. On last Friday morning the mercury rested at 8 degrees below zero, Saturday morning at 5 below, yesterday morning at 19 below, and this morning at 4 above. High winds and storms of snow prevailed, making it very disagreeable and freezing stock unprotected by good stables and plenty of feed.

The babe of our butcher, Mr. Welbaum, aged about two weeks, died last Friday and its remains were given interment last Saturday morning in the cemetery at this place.

Special services were begun last Wednesday night in our Presbyterian church, to continue indefinitely. Rev. R. H. Willis, evangelist, is conducting the services and thus far a good interest is manifest. He has announced as his subject, "The Devil's Apron String." There is something unique about such a subject and of course it will attract special attention. On next Sunday p.m. he will preach to men and boys only and hopes to be greeted by a large audience to hear this specialty.

On Wednesday night our people will have the pleasure of hearing the third number of our school lecture course by Booth Lowry, who is justly celebrated as a platform speaker.

The people of our state will now want to watch the doings of the Constitutional Convention, now in session, and properly estimate the value of its work, and if found worthy approve it, and if not, condemn it. We all have our ideas of what the new constitution ought to be, or at least what some things ought to be provided for, but the right thing to do will be to hold judgment in abeyance until the work of the convention is completed and then measure its value by proper standards, and if right approve it, and if not then vote it down. Jan. 8. XOB.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

One-fourth off on all Fur Caps. THE PROGRESS.

See Clubbing List.

COURT HOUSE NEWS.

PROBATE COURT.

James H. Horner was appointed administrator of estate of Lydia Weaver; bond \$1000.

Last will of Godfrey Hedrick was admitted to probate. J. A. Magato was appointed executor under said will; bond \$4000.

Petition to sell real estate filed in estate of Hannah R. Staver.

Last will of Jonas Miller was filed for probate.

Final account filed in estate of Ed S. Hartzell, showing receipts of \$1219.08 and same disbursed.

Final account filed in guardianship of Ernest Mendenhall, showing receipts of \$889.01 and disbursements of \$98.96.

Final account filed in guardianship of Eddie Grote, showing receipts of \$881.59 and disbursements of \$198.65.

First account filed in guardianship of David R. Hess, showing receipts of \$810.40 and disbursements of \$22.70.

Final account filed in estate of Catharine Barkalow, showing receipts of \$3153.50 and disbursements of \$474.98.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

John E. Mote, 24, farmer, Allen township, son of Jesse Mote, and Ella Eaton, 19, Allen township, daughter of Jacob Eaton.

Wm. Ot. Johnson, 24, Greenville, son of Robert Johnson, and Edna Johnson, 25, Greenville, daughter of Morgan Johnson.

Orville Billhimer, 22, farmer, Butler township, son of Levi Billhimer, and Merle Garland, 18, Butler township, daughter of George Garland.

George Henkaline, 29, farmer, Greenville township, son of Henry Herkaline, and Elizabeth Rehmer, 28, Richland township, daughter of Charles A. Rehmer.

Charles O. Woods, 20, farmer, Jackson township, son of Martin Woods, and Flossie May Zech, 20, Brown township, daughter of John Zech.

Wm. Earl Miller, 23, farmer, Allen township, son of A. I. Miller, and Mabel Fern Sharp, 18, Wabash township, daughter of A. D. Sharp.

Fred Clear, 21, farmer, Union City, son of Charles B. Clear, and Pearl Nofsinger, 18, Union City, daughter of Noah Nofsinger.

Homer Shirk, 21, farmer, German township, son of Matthias Shirk, and Dorothea Kershner, 22, German township, daughter of Manassa Kershner.

Edgar Coblentz, 21, liveryman, New Madison, son of J. C. Coblentz, and Merlie May Shumaker, 22, New Madison, daughter of George Shumaker.

COMMON PLEAS COURT.

NEW CASES.

19729—Daisy M. Smith versus Esta Smith; for divorce, extreme cruelty charged.

19730—In the matter of Phares Baker; habeas corpus.

19731—Anton Meyer versus F. J. and Katie Alexander; suit for \$520.

19732—Ellen C. Willis versus Elmer D. Willis; for divorce and alimony, extreme cruelty charged.

REGISTER OF DEEDS.

Henry D. Long to Isaac N. Long, undivided one-eighth interest in 80 acres in Monroe township, \$1 and other valuable considerations.

Charles A. George to Sarah M.

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